SIXTIETH YEAR

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 29 1910 SALT LAKE CITY UTAH

CARPENTER KILLED BY HIGH VOLTAGE

Two Other Workmen Burned by Rampant Current This Morning.

ONE MAY NOT SURVIVE

Steel Pipe Fell Across High Tension Wires at Service Plant for Church Buildings,

Parley P. Pratt, a carpenter working on the new power plant for the Hotel Utah, which is located between West Temple street and First West, just west of the temple block, was almost instantly electrocuted shortly befor noon today when a large steel cement pipe he and others were placing on the roof of the building fell across a high voltage wire of the Utah Light & Railway company that ran alongside of the

Cecil Mathews, a carpenter's helper whose address is unknown, was badly shocked and is in such a condition that his recovery is doubtful. He was taken to the Holy Cross hospital.

W. M. Cole, a laborer on the building, was badly burned and went to the hospital with Dr. H. A. Hosmer, who was called just after the accident.

That many of the other workmen as sisting in the placing of the heavy pipe were not shocked by the terrible voltage that went coursing through it as it met the wire is wondered at by all those on the building at the time.

For nearly an hour the injured men lay on the roof of the building which is high above the ground. The work is in charge of the Trent Engineering company, who are the contractors for the building, and W. I. Powell, the timeeeper for the company, seems to have been the only one in charge at the time. POLICE ON THE SCENE.

When the police arrived, Patrolmen Phillips, Armstrong, Eckstead and Giles did noble work in bringing the men to the ground, ' Pratt was still alive a few minutes after the accident, and Dr. Hosmer stated that had his fellow working possessed presence of mind enough to direct the working to keep up respiration artificially, his life might have been saved.

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when the four policemen arrived on foot, the men were still on top of the roof and no attempt had even been made to get medical attendance. Offi-cer Phillips immediately telephoned for the police auto and the work of rescu-

the police auto and the work of rescuing the injured and dead men from the roof of the building began.

Officer Armstrong took off his coat and went to the roof among the wires, while Phillips directed the work from below. A scaffolding was made and the body of Pratt was the first to reach the ground. Dr. Hosmer examined it at once and pronounced life extinct.

In a few minutes more Cole and Mathews were back on the ground and Mathews were back on the ground and being rushed to the bespital. Mathews is only shocked, but so seriously that he could not move a muscle. Cole is badly burned about the hands and arms where he came in contact with the

FELL ACROSS WIRES.

The pipe that the men were placing is about 16 inches in circumference. It was being placed so that cement could be run into a form near the edge of the building, when it slipped from the ropes that held it and came across the high voltage wires. There was a blur, a flash, and a smell of burning flesh and Pratt was seen to drop back on the floor. The other men also fell. Timekeeper Powell rushed up the ladder and everybody became excited. Pratt never spoke a word after the accident happened. The other workmen removed the pipe from the wires and several of them received minor shocks in doing so. Then the police came, and the work of rescuing the injured from the roof of the building began.

Several thousand volts of electricity must have shot through the pipe as it touched the wires because the body of Pratt does not show even a burn.

Pratt is married and has a family. He was about 40 years of agee. He lived with his wife and three children at 330 north Third West street. He was a member of Local 184 Brotherhood of Timekeeper Powell rushed up the lad-

member of Local 184 Brotherhood of Carpenters, Business Agent Wilkes of the local notified Mrs. Pratt of the death of her husband. Mr. and Mrs. Pratt were former residents of Vernal

TO REMOVE GREAT POLES.

Telephone Company Relocating Trunk Line on Second West Street.

The Bell Telephone company is planning to remove the great poles on Second West street, as soon as the telephone trunk line there has been relo-cated. To accomplish this, the com-puny is laying conduits on north State and North Temple streets to the junc-tion of Main and Center streets, where the north bound toll lines will be trans-ferred to run out on the latter thor-oughfare instead of as at present, on Second West street. If this street is asphalted before the telephone company is ready to remove its poles, these will be sawn off at the pavement line and the holes filled with asphalt by the company. Contractor Moran is "ma-king hay while the sun shines;" in fact, pushing the paving so rapidly, that if the present stress of Texas winter weather keeps up, the entire street from Third South to Warm Springs will be completed before the public realizes it. phone trunk line there has been relo-

TO ATTEND SHERIDAN MEETING

Secy. C. B. Stewart of the Utah Woolgrowers' association leaves this evening for Sheridan, Wyo., in attendance on a meeting there of the tendance on a meeting there of the Wyoming sheepmen to be held Dec. 1. and 2. Mr. Stewart will make an address on "Comparative legal, economic and sanitary conditions and differences obtaining in Wyoming and adjacent states." He will urge such a readjustment of the statutes of these intermountain states as will bring into harmountain states as will bring into harmony the laws bearing on interests of sheepmen, and thus secure equal treatment for all. Mr. Stewart will also urge consolidation of intermountain sheep interests so as to present a stronger and most effective resistance at Washington to the attacks on the wool tariff.

STOLEN WELLS FARGO SAFE FOUND AND FOUND INTACT

Muskogee, Okla., Nov. 29.-The

iron safe containing \$16,000 stolen from the sub-station of the Wells Fargo Express company here last Saturday night was found last night and all the money recovered. The safe which was found under the porch of an abandoned house had not been opened. O. F. Sensbaugh, W. H. Kelsey and F. O. Givens, who were arrested following the disappearance of the safe. are being held even though the money has been recovered.

MURDERED IN BROAD DAYLIGHT IN NEW YORK

Street, One Dropped Behind Shot One, Then All Three Fled.

New York, Nov. 29 .- One of a group

of four well dressed men, apparently an American, was shot dead as he was walking along a Harlem street early today. According to the only known witness of the shooting, an occupant of a nearby apartment house on Manhattan street from which the group had just emerged, the man was shot by one of his companions. Vincent Riondo, the man who saw the tragic hap pening, says that one member of the party dropped to the rear of the others as they were walking along the street. There was a flash, a shot, and one of the men in the group fell to the ground. The others leaned over the fallen man an instant and then ran off. A policeman and an ambulance surgeon who were summoned found the research were summoned found the man dead. There was nothing about the mur-dered man to identify him. His cloth-ing was of good quality and the soft-ness of his hands indicated that he was unused to hard work. The label

The authorities have instituted a widespread search for the dead man's companions.

of a Broadway clothier on his coat gave the police their only clue to work

The man was identified later as John Nicholas Korner, a resident of the middle west side.

POPULATION OF MARYLAND.

Washington, Nov. 29,-The popula-tion of the state of Maryland is 1,294,-450, according to statistics of the thirteenth census made public today. This is an increase of 106,406, or 9 per cent, over 118,044 in 1990. over 1,188,044 in 1900. The increase from 1890 to 1900 was 145,654, or 14 per cent.

CHICAGO DRAINAGE CANAL,

Chicago. Nov. 29.—The North Shore branch of the sanitary district drainage canal, the largest project undertaken by the present board of trustees, was flooded today, 'The canal is expected to provide a flowage of 450,000 gallons a minute.

The channel was built at a cost of

The channel was built at a cost of \$2,700,000 and supplies a solution to sew-age disposal of Evanston, Wilmette, Winnetka, Kenliworth, Gross Point and Glencoe. It is 20 feet wide and has a

14-foot channel. A system of parking and ornamenta-tion copied after that along the Seine In Paris, is contemplated by Evanston and Wilmette.

AUGUST ROPKE ENTERS A PLEA OF GUILTY

Lonisville, Ky., Nov. 29.—August Ropke today entered a plea of guilty to five counts of the indictment charging him with embezzlement of the funds of the Fidelity Trust company. The total of his defalcations was \$1.490,000.

The amount was reduced by recoveries to \$1.090,000. Ropke was given a sentence of from 10 to 18 years in the penitentiary, this penulty covering all his offenses. Ropke was secretary of the company's backing system.

DETROIT WOOL RATES ARE NOT DISCRIMINATORY

Washington, Nov. 29.—Denying a petition for establishment of a stop off privilege in wool at Detroit the interstate commerce commission today announced that it had found that the present blanket rate of 50 cents a hun-dred pounds on wool "in the grease," applying from Chicago, Detroit and other points to Boston, was not unduly

other points to Boston, was not unduly discriminatory or unreasonable as applied to Detroit. The stop off privilege sought was for the purpose of storing, grading and re-sacking.

The commission says the western carriers as a matter of policy give Omaha a certain privilege which the eastern roads deny to Detroit, injurity, Detroit to some extent but the eastern roads deny to Detroit, injuring Detroit to some extent, but the commission adds that it is difficult to see how that can be remedied because the carrying lines are not the same and to uphold the Detroit claim would justify or require a wide extension of the privilege to other points. The commission believes that such privileges should be curtailed because they are "the source and aggravating cause of many of the most serious compalaints." many of the most serious complaints."

KANSAS CITY WANTS TO BE SAFE AND SANE

Kansas City, Nov. 29.—An ordinance forbidding the discharge of fireworks in this city except at public exhibitions which shall be regulated under special permits, was passed by the city council last night. The ordinance also forbids the retail sale of fireworks here but fireworks may be sold at wholesely to works may be sold at wholesale to be discharged in other cities. Advo-cates of a sane Fourth of July caused the ordinance to be introduced. The mayor has announced that he will sign the ordinance, thus making it effective

DULUTH'S POPULATION.

Washington, Nov. 29.—The population of Duluth, Minn., is 78,466, according to the thirteenth census statistics made public today. This 1s an increase of 25,497, or 48.1 per cent over 52,969 in 1900.

ARIZONA CONVENTION

Phoenix, Ariz., Nov. 29.—After a lengthy debate on the medical measure, the third clush on the same subject, it was again defeated today in the constitutional convention 38 to 12. Notice

was given that another reconsideration would be asked tomorrow,

An effort was made to eliminate the entire declaration of rights from the constitution, but failed, as did an amendment by Delegate Ellinwood, suspending the right of habeas corpus in

The Christmas News

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The Magazine and Art Section

of the issue will be kept up to the high artistic standard of previous years. The cover will be printed in several colors, bearing a striking design on the front page. News dealers and agents are requested to place their orders early, as the size of the issue

Price 15 cents. In Magazine form, 25 cents.

times of rebellion. The declaration of rights was finally adopted as amended by the style, revision and compilation

will prevent the printing of a second edition.

YOUNG TOLSTOI DENOUNCES COUNT TSCHERTKOFF

St. Petersburg, Nov. 29.-Count Lee Tolstoi publishes a bitter denunciation of Count Tschertkoff, the intimate friend and literary agent of the late Count Tolstoi. The son declares that Tscherthoff was the worst enemy that his father had in all educated Russia and the civilized world, and that he was directly guilty of the tragedy of Yasnaya Poliana.

"The malign influence of Tschertkoff," writes Count Leo, "caused the premature death of my father, his superhuman sufferings and the separation from his family.

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"But for his literary agent," the son adds, "my father would have lived for many years peacefully at Yasnaya Pollana with the family who loved him and whom he loved do devotedly. The arrival of Tschertkoff was the be

GOVERNORS' CONFERENCE OPENS AT FRANKFORT, KY.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 29.—The third conference of governors began here today, Gov. Willson of Kentucky and Mayor Polsgrove of Frankfort, welcomed the visitors. Gov. Aram J. Pothier of Rhode Island responded and Gov.-elect Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey, spoke of the possibilities of this conference.

As the governors are to be at Frankfort only today, citizens crowded all possible hospitality, and entertainment into the short time. Aside from the entertainment between sessions, Gov. Willson will let nothing interfere with the program, particularly in a political way. The visitors will be received as governors, and as politicals. Nelther will the time of any one of them be taken up by making a speech at any function if the requests of Kentucky's governor are heeded. Each governor was met this morning by a personal escort and taken in an automobile which was at his disposal during his stay here, to the home of some Frankfort man. At noon a luncheon was given and shortly afterwards at 2 o'clock, the first session was held at Kentucky's new state capitol.

PREST. TAFT INSISTS ON GREATER ECONOMY

Washington, Nov. 29,—President Taft informed his cabinet officers, after scru-tinizing the final draft of the estimates of the various government departments for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1911, that there must be a further and deeper cut in them; that they would not do in their present form

CONFERENCE ON CUSTOM HOUSE FRAUDS

Washington, Nov. 29.—Collector Loeb of New York held a conference today with Secy. MacVeagh in regard to the customs frauds at New York.

J. H. Krack, a naval officer of the port of New York; M. P. Andrew, law officer there and J. P. Wheatly, a special agent accompanied Mr. Loeb to Washington. The whole question of customs under valuation is being considered and the course the government. sidered and the course the government shall take in the alleged woolen frauds recently unearthed is being discussed.

PREST. TAFT TELLS STORY ON HIMSELF

About Southern Gentleman at Richmond Luncheon Who Praised Him But Would Never Vote for Hlm.

Washington, Nov. 29,-President Taft has been exceedingly busy the last few days working on his message to Congress. In the few leisure moments he has had, however, he has been telling a story on himself. It happened at Richmond the other day.

"I always enjoy going to Richmond," said the president, "They have a way of making you feel perfectly at home. And it is simply because they have the greatest respect for the presidency and the man who happens for the time being to fill the office. There is not a bit of politics in the reception they give you. I know this absolutely." In substantiation of this, Mr. Taft then proceeded to relate a story told him by Maj. J. C. Semphill, formerly

him by Maj. J. C. Semphilli, formerly editor of the Charleston News and Courier, but now endtor of the Rich-mond Times-Despatch.

A Democratle guest at the Taft luncheon, sitting next to the major became enthusiastic about the presi-

dent.

"Taft is simply a bully fellow," declared the guest. "He is the kind of a man you love."

"You bet he is," remarked the major. "But, by the way, are you going to vote for him next time?"

"Yote for him? Vote for him?" oxclaimed the astonished luncheon guest;
"I'd see him in h-l first."

MANUEL BONILLA HAS SOME SUCCESS

Captures Atlantic Ports of Honduras and the Department Of Comayagua.

SOLDIERS SENT AFTER HIM

Ordered to Retake the Territory They Joined Ex-President's

San Juan Del Sur, Nic., Nov. 29 .-Advices received today from Teguicagalpa state that the Atlantic ports of Honduras and the departments of Comayagua have been captured by revolutionists under the leadership of former president Manuel De Bonilla. Government forces sent to re-take he territory joined the enemy.

Gen. Bonilla brought about an unsuccessful revolt against the govern-ment of President Davilla last sum-mer. Later ne sought refuge in Guate-mala from which country he was demaia from which country he was de-ported. Recently he was reported to be in New Oreleans organizing an expedition which was to attack the Atlantic coast of Honduras, Bonilla's cause was helped somewhat by the rebellion of Gen. Jose Valladares, the governor of the island of Amapala. The latter was recently deposed and came to this country.

SPEEDING AUTOMOBILISTS SUMS GOOD SANITATION

Chicago, Nov. 29,-Percy Hawkins ceding and the good will of the policeman who arrested him when he vol-unteered the use of his machine in rushing to the aid of a family reported

rushing to the aid of a family reported overcome by gas in their home. Hawkins had been brought into the police station and he was arranging with the desk sergeant for his release on bail. The sergeant's telephone rang and over it in an agonized voice came: "Oh, hurry to \$50 Hedgewick street, officer; there's three men here dying; they were overcome by gas."

The sergeant repeated the request and Hawkins insisted on the use of his and Hawkins insisted on the use of his machine. Municipal Judge Blake, hearing the story dismissed Hawkins. The men overcome by gas recovered.

C. G. WAGNER EXONERATED OF BURGLAR CHARGE

Olympia, Wash., Nov. 29 -- Charles G. Wagner of Spokane, Wash., was exonerated today of a burglary charge preferred against him by the authorities of Los Angeles, Cal., and released from custody.

"He isn't the man," explained a Los Angeles detective, as soon as he saw Wagner, who was formerly an em-

playe of an Indianapolis bank, was arploye of an Indianapolis bank, was arrested several weeks ago, the specific accusation being that he had committed a burglary in Pasadena, Cal. Other crimes were charged to him, and in addition his arrest was sought as an escaped prisoner. He was apprehended in Spokane, and his extradition was sought by the state of California. He resisted and the hearing was held here today.

today.

It developed that Wagner was the victim of a peculiar chain of circumstances. His valise had been stolen in North Yakima, Wash., by a thief in North Yakima, Wash, by a thief who afterward posed as Wagner and committed a number of crimes in southern California. The criminal was finally caught, robbing a store in Pasadena, using Wagner's vallse as a receptacle for stolen goods. He escaped from his captors and then began a search which, offer several worths resulted in the after several months, resulted in the real Wagner's arrest.

SENT TO HOSPITAL FOUR TIMES IN ONE DAY

New York, Nov. 29.-Four times re-New York, Nov. 29.—Four times removed to a hospital in 24 hours is the record of Max Seiter, a Harlem butcher, has just established. His injuries were the result of an attack by thugs which occurred, he says, in broad daylight, on a deserted street near his home. He was picked up unconscious by a policeman and rushed to a nearby hospital, where the surgeons revived him and set a couple of broken bones. Seiter declined to remain at the hospital, but on his way home he fell against a railing and was again picked up unconscious and taken to the hospit. up unconscious and taken to the hospital. This time an attendant accompanied him when he left for home. On the way he fell, collapsed and was rushed back for further treatment.

After two hours' rest he was taken home and the hospital physicians sup-posed they had seen the last of him. But eight hours later there came an ambulance call from a police box a dozen blocks from Selter's home and presently the attendant came in with Selter again. Believing his injures trivial he had left his home for his place of business at his customary hour and on the way had taken a header. The fractured bones were re-set and the lacerated hands again banset and the lacerated hands again ban daged. This time the patient was de-tained for treatment.

TRAIN STRIKES HAND-CAR, KILLING ONE PERSON

terson of Fort Dodge, Iowa, was instantly killed, and C. K. Wellington fatally injured at Walcott, Wyoming, last night, when the hand-car on which they were riding was struck by a work-train. Both men were connected with the engineering department of the Union Pacific.

DORANCE ATWATER, OF WAR FAME, DEAD

from San Francisco to Francis Atwater, a newspaper publisher of this city, today brought word of the death of his brother, Dorance Atwater, widely known as the man who made the secre records of the death of federal prisoner in the confederate military prison at Andersonville.

Mr. Atwater, born in this state, at the age of 16 enlisted for the war with first squadron Connecticut cavalry and

first squadron Connecticut cavalry and later served with Harris' light cavalry of New York. He was taken prisoner in February, 1864, and sent to Andersonville prison, where he was detailed as clerk to make a record for the prison of the deaths among the federal prisoners. Suspecting that the list as compiled by him was not being sent to the government, Mr. Atwater made a duplicate of the list given the prison authorities, keeping it from their knowl. authorities, keeping it from their knowl-

edge.

His list contained some 13,000 names.

When in 1865 he was sent to the parole camp at Annapolis, he carried this list with him, secreted in the lining of big cont.

his coat.

The question of the ownership of the list caused considerable litigation. But ist caused considerable litigation. But recently recognition of his services was given Mr. Atwater by the government. He leaves a widow, who before her marriage to him was a princess in the island of Tahiti, one of the Society island group.

BELLECOUR, THE ARTIST, DEAD. Paris, Nov. 29.—Etienne Prosper-Borne Bellecour, the landscape and por-trait painter, died here today. He was born at Boulogne-sur-Mer in 1838.

POSTMASTERS APPOINTED.

(Special to The News.) Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.-Postmasters appointed: Utah-Fruitland, Wasatch county, George L. Petrashek vice S. R. Jones, resigned. Idaho—Soldier, Blaine county, Chap-man H. Leek vice H. M. Wattles, re-

Wyoming—Tipton, Sweetwater county, John L. Hudson vice L. E. Robinson, resigned.

ROMNEY IS ELECTED CAPTAIN OF TEAM

All Star Half Back Will Lead University of Utah Team on Gridiron.

Lon Romney, right halfback, was elected captain of the University of Utah football team for 1911 at a meeting held this morning. Romney played a fast, consistent game at half during the season, making the all-star conference eleven, and has the confidence of all the men on the team. This is Romney's second year on the team, and it is predicted that he will be at his best

predicted that he will be at his best next season.

The prospects for a championship team in 1911 are brighter than usual. Seven members of this year's team will be back next season and Ashton, Sutherland, Dillam and Watson will probably be drafted from the freshman team. Fitzpatrick, the high school quarterback, will be eligible to try out on the first team next year, having entered the university at the second semester. Yates of the high school team will also try out for a position, and there is plenty of new material to work with next fall, which tried out on the class teams this season. Coach Bennion feels confident that he will be able to make a better showing next year than he did this season. The university scored 70 points, against her

year than he did this season. The university scored 70 points, against her opponents, and 45 points were scored against the university.

Richardson, Nielsen, Capt, Home, Carmichael and Grant will not return to school next year. The loss of these men will be felt for they have been the backbone of the team for the past two years.

STORM ON CASPIAN SWEEPS HUNDREDS OUT TO SEA

Astrakhan, Russia, Nov. 29.-During a sudden tempest in the Caspian sea today a landing stage on which were 300 Persian dock workers was dragged from its moorings and swept out to sea. The storm cue were futile and all hope that any of the men will be saved has been abandoned.

CHICAGO BANDITS TOOK NO CHANGE OF POLICE

Seized Victim, Wrapped Bim in Bur Jap, Threw Him Into Wagon, Carried to Prairie, Robbed Him.

Chicago, Nov. 29 .- Two bandits who held up and robbed Charles Moe, a contractor carpenter, took no chances of having a policeman interrupt them while they went through their victim's pockets. They seized and tied him, bundled him up in a quantity of burlap, threw him into a furniture delivery wagon, beat him into insensibility when he sought to raise an outery and carried him far out of the city onto the prairie to rob him.

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When he recovered consciousness to-day he was unable to unfasten his hands or gain his feet and lay in the ditch beside a country road six hours before being found by farmers. He then learned he had been carried several miles outside the city limits. The had been robbed of a gold watch and \$7 and today he identified two young men arrested by the police as his assailants.

WEALTHY WOMAN LOSES BAG OF JEWELS

New York, Nov. 29.-Jeremiah Murphy, a 17-year-old Jersey City boy, was arrested here early today charged with grand larceny in connection with the loss of jewels valued at \$5,000 from a Pennsylvania railroad sleeping car. The jewels, according to the police, are the property of Mrs. Alexander McDonald, a wealthy New York woman. She reached New York yesterday from the west and in leaving the train dropped unnoticed the velvet bag which contained the jewels. She reported her loss as soon as she reached her home and detectives were sent to find the missing property.

It was not until an early hour this morning that they located them. They found the bag but most of the gems were missing. They assert that Murphy had one of the rings in his possession. The missing jewels included a number of diamond rings, a diamond necklace, a number of diamond pins. a Pennsylvania railroad sleeping car.

PAY THEIR MONEY AND TAKE THEIR CHOICE

Washington, Nov. 29.—Americans writing letters or posteards to points in the far east may "pay their money and take their choice," as to what route their missive shall take. Postal officials in this country have been notified that mail for the far east addressed 'via Siberia," or "via Europe-Siberia," shall be included in mails for Carnary where it will be forwarded. Germany, whence it will be forwarded by the Siberian railway route instead of by the Pacific ocean route.

UNSEASONABLY COLD WEATHER PREDICTED

cold weather the next few days over practically all districts east of the Rocky mountains is predicted by the weather bureau from reports of an ex-tensive area of high parometric pres-sure over Alaska and the extreme northwest where temperatures are now

northwest where temperatures are now the lowest of the season.

During the last 24 hours much cold-er weather has prevailed in the Ohlo valley, the gulf and southern Atlantic states and there were frosts as far south as Florida. Storm warnings are displayed today on the New England coast on account of the disturbance which had been moving northeastward from the Carolinas.

NEW YORK REPUBLICAN CAMPAIGN EXPENSES

from the Carolinas.

Albany, Nov. 29.—In its statement of election expenses received by Secy, of State Koenig today, the Republican state committee certified that its receipts were \$143,000, which included \$115,625 individual contributions.

A \$50,000 ioan was made by Chairman Ezra Prentice, "rebates from special train charges," \$1,318, and "rebates from printing," \$1,050. The detailed dishursements to date amount to \$125,520.

Among the contributors were Frank A. Munsey, \$20,000; George W. Perkins, \$10,000; Chauncey M. Depew, Andrew Carnegle, Otto T. Bannard, and James Thompson each \$5,000. Albany, Nov. 29 .- In its statement of

IRWIN BROWN, "MAN WITHOUT A DIME," IS ARRESTED

Houston, Tex., Nov. 29.—Posing as the "man without a dime," Irwin Brown, wealthy clubman and sociological worker of Denver, Colo., was arrested here last night at an establishment which furnishes cheap lodging. He had gone there in pursuit of his sociological investigations and was attired as a tramp. His only offense, he declares, was to ask for a bed, explaining that he was penniless. He was released when he was identified by a local newspaper man. local newspaper man.

LOS ANGELES DYNAMITE OUTRAGE INVESTIGATION

Los Angeles, Nov. 29.—The illness of three jurors prevented the session to-day of the special grand jury inves-tigating the Los Angeles dynamiting outrages and the return of expected in-dictments. It is believed that indict-ments will be voted tomorrow against four suspects.

POPULATION OF NEBRASKA.

Washington, Nov. 29.—The population of the state of Nebraska is 1,192,214, according to statistics of the thirteenth census made public today. This is an increase of 125,914, or 11.8 per cent over 1,666,100 in 1800. The lacrease from 1800 to 1,000 was 2,200 or 7, per cent 1890 to 1900 was 7,390 or 7 per cent.

CONDITIONS IN MEXICO IMPROVE

Ambassador Wilson in Telegram To State Department Says Are Approaching Normal.

CHIHUAHUA ALONE UNEASY

Presence of Wealthy Mexicans in San Diego Leads to Talk of Trouble In Lower California.

Washington, Nov. 29.-Conditions in Mexico are rapidly approaching a nornal status and the revolutionist Idisturbances are believed to be confined to the state of Chihuahua. Such is the tone of a telegram received by the state department today from Henry Lane Wilson, United States ambassador to

Mexico.

In the battle between the government and revolutionary forces which was waged near Chihuahua on Sunday, Mr. Wilson reports that the defeat of the rebels was accompanied with considerable loss to them. The strength of the government troops in this encounter was 600, while the defeated revolutionists numbered 400.

ARE NO POLITICAL DISTURBANCES IN SINALOA

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 29.—A letter from Cullean, Sinaloa, to The Heraid says that everything is absolutely quiet throughout that region and that there are no political disturbances at all. The same letter says that a number of Mexicans who were implicated in the murder of John Ellick, an American, recently at Badiruguato, Sinaloa, have been arrested and sentenced to be hanged next week.

MAY BE SOME TROUBLE IN LOWER CALIFORNIA

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San Diego, Cal., Nov. 29.—Secret conferences between Lieut. Gov. Jose La Roque of Lower California and Senor Lozano, Mexican consul in Los Angeles, have been held in San Diego within the last day or two, and this in connection with the circulation of a Mexican revolutionary journal in San Diego and Tia Juana and the presence of scores of strange and apparently wealthy Mexicans in various hotels is believed to indicate trouble for the Mexican officials in Lower California. So far there has been no hint in Ensenada or La Paz or any of the villages of Lower California of trouble, but the border line is being closely watched. The San Diego police have rounded up more than a score of Mexicans, alleged suspects, and when searched every one of them was armed.

Travelers returning from the west coast of Mexico state that at Mazatlan and Guaymas troops were mobilized, as well as at Culican, capital of Sinaloa, and Hermosillo, capital of Sonora.

THEATERS WILL HAVE TO BEAR THE EXPENSE

Chicago, Nov. 29.—Theaters which were closed and compelled to make changes in their buildings after the Iroquois fire, which cost nearly 600 lives seven years ago, will have to bear all the expense incurred by the action of the city government, according to a decision of the branch appellate court yesterday.

In a test case, that of the People's theater, to recover \$30,000 spent by it in complying with the ordinances passed on Jan. 18, 1904, to prevent a repetition of the terrible Iroquois disaster, and \$20,000 alleged damages it suffered from the closing of its doors and the reduction of its seating capacity, a total of \$50,000, the court ruled that the city was not liable.

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This was only one of a long list of annusement houses that began legal proceedings, but the test case will be

FLOWERS GRACE BIER OF "WINSOME WINNIE" HORN

New York, Nov. 29.—Flowers from many well known politicians and business men grace the bior of "Winsome Winnie" Horn, a news girl, who for nearly 20 years had sold papers at a stand near Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue. She died yesterday, Her regular patrons in the old days included the members of the "Amen Corner" in the old Fifth Avenue hotel, notably Senator Platt, Gov. Odell and Senator Senator Platt, Gov. Odell and Senator Mark Hanna. It was "Winsome Winnie" who gave to Senator Platt the nickname "The Easy Boss." She was a favorite also with numerous Tammany chieftains.

INCENDIARY KILLED IN DUEL WITH POLICEMEN

Toledo, O., Nov. 29.—After he had broken into and set fire to a moving picture theater in the residence district of the city, an unidentified man was shot and almost instantly killed by Patrolman Carl Kruse, early this morning, after the policeman had exchanged several shots with the stranger during a chase of nearly a block er during a chase of nearly a block. The fire was extinguished a few monents later with trifling damage

MARY GARDEN WILL NOT GIVE "SALOME" IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Nov. 29.—Following official criticism from the Chicago police department through Chief of Police Steward, the production of "Salome," in which Mary Garden had twice appeared here, was withdrawn from the grand opera program Friday night.

"The chief of police informed the management that offensive features, particularly the "head" scene, should be toned down.

Miss Garden strenuously objected to eliminating any of her lines or poses, or being modified, and accordingly the production for that evening was with-

After the announcement that "Sa-After the announcement that "sa-iome," would not be presented Fri-day night it was further declared by the grand opera management that other artists had refused to substi-tute their productions for the with-drawn opera and in consequence the stage will be dark that night.

IMPANELLING WENDLING JURY. Louisville, Ky., Nov. 29.—With five jurors already accepted, the second day of the trial of Joseph Wendling for the murder of Alma Kellner opened this morning with prospects favorable for the completion of the jury by night fall. Wendling's democance as the trial progresses is apparently unchanged from the jaunty confidence noticeable in his manner since his arrest.